## Paul Memorial Library Newfields, New Hampshire Board of Trustees Minutes November 3, 2008

Present: Larry Arend, Trustee; Peter Allen, Trustee; Kim Crisp, Trustee; Nancy Nightingale, Librarian; Kelley Corson, Guest Presenter.

Larry Arend called the meeting to order at 6:40 p.m.

The board reviewed and approved the minutes from the September Board of Trustees meeting.

Kelley Corson gave a presentation on the Main Street Art Center proposal. A group of local residents are forming a non-profit organization with the purpose of creating and operating an art school/center at the old post office building. The group is seeking to place a warrant on the next ballot that would grant the organization a five-year lease of the building. The board and Kelley discussed the potential collaborative possibilities between the art center and the library if the project comes to fruition.

## **Board of Trustees General Discussion:**

Kim reported that the Dennis Robinson lecture went very well. The board and Nancy discussed expanding periodical and magazine selections.

## **Treasurer's Report:**

Peter said that he anticipated no change in the budget from last year.

## Librarian's Report:

Nancy reported that the art show was well-attended. She noted that circulation numbers are up and that the library will maintain the same hours through the winter.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:15 p.m.

The next meeting of the Paul Memorial Library Board of Trustees is Tuesday, December 2, 2008 at 6:30 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

Kimberly Crisp Board Secretary